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In re Application of: Uffe Loevborg

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Examiner: Moore, W.

For: Proteins With Changed Epitopes And Methods For The Production Thereof

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Election of Species, dated January 21, 1999, applicants elect with traverse Species A, methods for producing variant proteins of the class of industrial enzymes described in claims 25-29 and the variant products of claims 33-34. Claims 24-29 and 32-34 read on the elected species.

The Examiner is hereby invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if there are any questions concerning this communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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